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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

KENTUCKY UTILITIES COMPANY AND)
LOUISVILLE GAS AND ELECTRIC)
COMPANY CONTINGENCY PLANS FOR) ADM. CASE NO. 231
EMERGENCY PROCEDURES DURING)
AN ENERGY SHORTAGE.)

ORDER

On October 14, 1980, the Commission issued its Order to the Kentucky Utilities Company (K.U.) and to the Louisville Gas and Electric Company (L.G. & E.) directing them to submit their plan of emergency procedures to be followed during any shortage of energy for the generation of electric power. The Commission also Ordered that in the preparation of the emergency procedures submitted, the utility was to consider the appropriateness of the use of the procedures and substance contained in Attachment No. 1 which was a part of the Order. The K. U. proposed emergency procedures were filed with the Commission On December 15, 1980.

The Commission having considered the evidence of record and being advised is of the opinion and finds:

- That it is both prudent and desirable for a utility to have contingency plans available prior to the onset of an emergency condition and;
- 2. That the emergency procedures proposed by K. U. have essentially incorporated the procedures and substance contained in Attachment No. 1 of the Commission's Order of October, 1980, and the emergency procedures should be approved and;
- 3. That the emergency procedures proposed by K. U. give due consideration to the public health, safety and welfare without undue prejudice or disadvantage to any customer.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Energy Emergency Control Program which was filed with the Commission on December 15, 1980,

by K. U. be approved as submitted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within twenty (20) days of the receipt of this Order that K. U. shall file a new tariff with the Commission that incorporates the Energy Emergency Control Program authorized in this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky this 29th day of January, 1981.

ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION

Chairman
Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST: